

LAFERRE WILL PRAISE WILSON

Draft Written By President
Will Laud Policies at
Home and Abroad.

Washington, D. C., June 8.—President Wilson has about finished his preliminary draft of the Democratic campaign platform to be adopted by the national convention at St. Louis, according to information from authoritative Democratic sources.

The outcome of the administration's efforts to keep the United States out of war and at the same time maintain the national honor, will be the foundation of the foreign affairs plank and one of the emphasized points in the platform.

Champions of Policy.
It is understood the national platform will point to the success of the administration in guarding the honor and interests of the United States in the face of obstacles and at the same time keeping the nation with peace. The administration's championship of the rights of Americans and all nations on the high seas will be praised with the statement that the results will be of great importance to American commerce.

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PARK ENDEAVORS TO ELECT OFFICERS SUNDAY

Mezella Park, N. M., June 8.—A committee has been appointed on the reorganization of the Park Christian Endeavor society for the summer. The election of the new officers will take place next Sunday night.

Miss Elsie P. Hays, a member of the fourth preparatory graduating class, has left for Las Vegas, where she will attend the summer normal.

Children's day will be observed next Sunday at the Park Presbyterian church, with a short program and a brief sermon to the children by Rev. W. C. Buell.

Misses Grace and Ruth Hyland are visiting Mrs. W. O. McNary at Chamberlain.

Clifford Hare, who went to Columbus with the militia, as a member of company D, has returned home, being young to enter the regular army. The Hare family is moving to Las Cruces, where they will have rooms at the Faulkner house for a short time. A little later they will go to Indianapolis, Texas, where Dr. Hare has a position in the extension department of the Texas College of Agriculture.

Coach Clarence W. Russell has moved from the Sage house into Prof. Latta's house, which he recently purchased from Edgar Richards, east of Prof. Hays.

Mrs. Hunter Lewis entertained a number of children of the St. James Sunday school on the beautiful lawn at the rectory.

Sidney Howard is at home from Killebrew, Mo., where he was attending the School of Osteopathy.

Mr. E. E. Mathews, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hellman, Karl Hellman, Miss Nina Davis and Prof. Kenneth Brewster, motored to Channing for religious services at which Miss Davis and Karl Hellman rendered a duet and Mr. Hellman a solo. Prof. Brewster being accompanist.

Prof. and Mrs. A. F. Barnes and two children, Dorothy and Eleanor, were six o'clock dinner guests of Prof. and Mrs. Ralph W. Clark. The Barnes family has left for Worcester, Mass., where they will spend their vacation with home folks.

Miss Carmen Gilliam has returned from Captain N. M., where she taught school. She was accompanied home by Miss Mary Bogue, a fellow teacher in the Captain school.

Miss May Buell has returned from Silver City, where she was a teacher in the public school the past year.

Mrs. W. N. Hager, of Mezella Park, spent a few days in El Paso.

Prof. Workman, after spending a few days here on his return from a trip to various Texas points, has left for a trip over New Mexico in the interest of the extension work of the college.

O. K. Jackson and Lester Cox have returned from a several days' sojourn at Van Patten's in the Organ mountains.

Mrs. C. M. Locke, who has been quite ill at her home in the Park, is reported as being somewhat improved.

Miss Gertrude Scrogins, a graduate of the year of the fourth prep class of the college, has gone to Silver City to teach in the summer term. She expects to teach next year.

Arthur Guinacole has purchased the Dr. H. M. Bowers touring car.

J. J. PERSHING; T. ROOSEVELT

Preparedness Platform
With These Two at Head
Topic of Border Gossip.

Theodore Roosevelt for president, Brig. Gen. John J. Pershing, for vice president.

Platform: Preparedness.
This is a program that would not surprise the border if it should come about at Chicago.

Gossip has it that there was more to the trip of Gen. Pershing to the border than a mere visit of inspection. It is said that at Colonia Dublin, after his meeting with Gen. Gabriel Garcia, he announced that he would return immediately to Naniqua. However, his brother, James L. Pershing, a prominent Chicago man, and identified with the Progressive party, suddenly put in an appearance at the camp and Gen. Pershing, after a conference with his brother, announced his intention of coming to the border. A number of messages are said to have passed between Columbus and Chicago that were the high seas, will be praised with the statement that the results will be of great importance to American commerce.

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HIGHER LEADERS ARE CONFIDENT

Believe Justice Will Be
Nominated on Third Bal-
lot; Convention Delayed.

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Chairman recognized chairman Smoot again for a supplemental report from the credentials committee giving votes to the delegates from Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philippines. It was adopted.

It made the total number of votes in the convention 885, making 495 necessary to a nomination.

Finally the unanimous report of the rules committee was read, which provided that a state delegation from changing its vote unless there has been broad endorsement.

Borah Wants to Hear T. R.
While the report of the rules committee was being read, an Associated Press message from Washington, quoting Col. Roosevelt as willing to come to Chicago if the Republican convention wanted him to address it was handed to chairman Harding. He showed it to senator Borah, Murray Crane, Chas. D. Hilles and it was then passed around to others.

Senator Harding had no comment to make, but senator Borah said: "If I were sure that Roosevelt actually said that himself, I would be in favor of inviting him here."

Convention Waits on Committee.
Dismissing reports on the woman suffrage and Mexican planks had been tried to the resolutions committee by the subcommittee and the convention was forced to wait while the committee discussed these measures.

Chauncey M. Depew, former speaker of the house and senator from New York, was the first to speak. He said the convention was awaiting the report of the resolutions committee.

The chairman appointed former secretary of war Stimson and speaker Sweet of New York to escort Chauncey M. Depew to the platform. Eighty-two years old, the famous New Yorker faced the convention amid cheers. His voice was still full and round.

Today, we have a world crisis in which even Christianity is doubted," he said, in referring to the war.

Issues of Campaign.
"We are entering upon this campaign either with an assertion of Americanism which will keep us out of it or a mollycoddle policy that will put us into it."

A mention of Elihu Root brought scattering applause and cheers. It was the first mention of the name of one of the Republican candidates.

The general address of Mr. Depew's speech was for national preparedness and the convention approved it.

Laughs At Bryan.
"When I turn to a pacifist," he said, "I turn to a leading exponent, my friend, Mr. Bryan, who is here in the hall."

The former secretary of state was in the press stand as a newspaper correspondent and sat smiling at the reference to himself and the laughter directed toward Mr. Depew spoke about 30 minutes.

Uncle Joe Cannon Speaks.
Chairman Harding then introduced Mr. Cannon as "Grand Old Uncle Joe."

Without the celebrated black cigar "Uncle Joe" bowed and smiled.

"Chauncey," said Uncle Joe, turning to Mr. Depew, "I am coming to your 100th anniversary." The crowd laughed.

"Country's Bigger than Any Man."

"We fell out, from the personal standpoint, largely four years ago," said Mr. Cannon, "but there is no quarrel between us."

"This year we'll have no sublimity from anybody," he said, "The country's bigger than any man or set of men."

Chairman Harding then presented senator Borah, of Idaho. There was a good bit of demonstration for him.

Borah made a plea for a straight Republican platform.

"Let us pledge ourselves again as we did 50 years ago to a united republic," said Mr. Borah. "A man who believes himself too proud to fight will soon be regarded as too cowardly to live."

"Columbus and Glen Springs," he said, referring to the Mexican raids, were the answer to the policy after Santa Isabel.

After he closed, Herbert Parsons moved that the convention recess until 1 p. m. to await further action from the resolutions committee. The recess was taken at 1:21 o'clock.

The two Rhode Island senators, Henry F. Lippitt and LeBaron Bradford Colt, both rich, Lippitt is a cotton manufacturer and banker, and is rated in the millionaire class. Colt has an interest in the same manufacturing company which bears the family name.

Seventy-seven United States army officers were present at the convention, many of whom were conferred upon them at various times for services in the Civil war, Indian engagements and the Spanish-American war.

CONGRESS IN WABASH HALL

Seats Provided For 12,400;
Scene of Four National
Conventions.

Chicago, Ill., June 8.—The Chicago Coliseum has a history rich in political interest. More national political conventions have been held in it than in any other building in the United States.

Three Republican national conventions have been held within its walls and it was there, also, that the Progressive party, in 1912, held its first national convention and nominated Col. Theodore Roosevelt for president.

The building was designed as a model convention hall but later adapted to broader uses. It was built by Charles F. Gunther and several business associates on the site of the old Liberty Prison War men, at Wabash avenue and 15th street, less than a mile from the hotel and retail shopping district.

The castellated walls of the old war prison were used for the Wabash avenue side of the structure. It was built of stone, brick, steel and glass and was finished in 1905. The building is 402 feet long, 170 feet wide and 119 feet high and cost nearly \$1,000,000. It has a wide balcony extending around three of the walls and is well lighted and ventilated.

Total Seating Capacity 12,400.
For this year's convention two additional balconies with seats for 72 persons were built between the main floor and the regular balcony. This gives a total seating capacity of 12,400, of which 948 seats are on the main floor and 2000 in the balconies. There are 22 exits. There are 100 doorkeepers and 160 ushers in addition to a large special detail of police to handle the great crowds.

The speaker's platform, 20 feet long and 40 feet wide, is at the south end of the building. It provides seats for the officers of the convention and members of the Republican national board. It consists of an inverted conical pyramid built of wood with the apex over the head of the presiding officer. It is designed to throw the voice through the hall. Directly in the rear of the speaker's stand is a raised platform with 2000 seats for the use of presidential candidates and other distinguished guests. On either side of the speaker's platform, extending the entire width of the building, is a press section, containing 555 seats for working newspaper men.

In front of the speaker's stand are the seats for the 391 delegates and back of these is the space set aside for the seating of the laboring men. The section reserved for delegates and alternates is enclosed with a heavy rail. The rear of the main floor and all the balconies will be used for seats to accommodate the crowds of visitors.

Adjoining the coliseum on the south is an annex three stories high, 120 feet deep and with a frontage of about 100 feet on Wabash avenue. It is connected with the main building by several broad entrances.

Hospital in Basement.
In the basement of the annex, at the south end of the main building and near the speaker's stand, is the telegraph and telephone room, where scores of special wires have been installed for the use of the news gathering associations and newspaper men in sending stories of the convention to every section of the country. In the basement of the main building is a completely equipped temporary hospital in charge of 25 of Chicago's leading physicians and surgeons who have volunteered their services for the occasion.

In the decoration of the convention hall the managers departed from the long established practice of relying exclusively on flags and bunting to obtain the desired artistic effect. This year the scheme of interior ornamentation is more elaborate and artistic than ever before, according to experts.

The plan was designed by C. R. Hall, superintendent of the Coliseum, and Julius Floto, an architect. White and gold dominate the color scheme while American flags, shields and bunting are used to complete the working out of the decorative plan.

Decorations Are Elaborate.
Eight thousand yards of white cloth, 4000 yards of gold cloth, 2000 yards of red, white and blue bunting and 200 American flags and shields were used in the interior ornamentation of the convention hall. The bare brick walls and steel girders which support the roof are concealed by 26 panels of white cloth, each twenty-five by fifty-five feet. Each panel is decorated with a deep flounce of gold cloth. Hanging from the roof in the center under the tenting are large bars of gold cloth which add to the artistic effect without obstructing light and air. The balconies are tastefully festooned with red, white and blue bunting caught every 10 feet with bunches of small American flags and shields.

On the wall back of the speaker's stand is hung a large oil portrait of Abraham Lincoln which has been in six Republican national conventions since it was painted in 1884. It was loaned to the convention by its owner, George Prince, of New York.

The officers of the convention are: Temporary chairman—Senator Warren G. Harding, Ohio.

Temporary secretary—Lafayette B. Gleason, New York.

Sergeant-at-arms—William F. Stone, Maryland.

Chief clerk—Edmund J. Wachter, Maryland.

Official stenographer—George L. Hart, Virginia.

Chief doorkeeper—John J. Hanson, Maryland.

Chief usher—Wm. Nelson Pelouse, Illinois.

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DEAR MR. KABBLE,
I AM IN NEW YORK AND MY FIANCÉE IS IN SAN FRANCISCO. HE WON'T MARRY ME UNLESS I COME TO FRISCO FOR THE CEREMONY. SHOULD I GO?
YES—THAT WILL GIVE YOU FIVE LONG DAYS BY YOURSELF TO THINK IT ALL OVER!

Hairs Quickly Vanish
After this Treatment

(Helps to Beauty)

Science has aided in simplifying the banishing of hairy growths from the face, and according to a beauty specialist, the most effective treatment yet devised consists of applying a delicate paste to the hairy surface for 2 or 3 minutes. The paste is made by mixing some water with a little powdered delatone. When this paste is removed and the skin washed every trace of hair has vanished. Be sure to get real delatone.—Advertisement

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**\$5 To \$12.50 Franco,
Gossard And Mme.
Lyra Corsets, At**

\$2.45



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WOMEN'S NOVELTY LACE DRAPE VEILS—Black or white only. 11-4 yard lengths. Removal Sale price, a length, at **35c**



WOMEN'S VEILS—Finished Shetland and Lace Drape Veils, in black, white or colors. Values extraordinary. **59c** at each, **WOMEN'S VEILS—** Full size, Silk Chiffon and Novelty Lace Drape Veils, that are unequalled values, at your choice, **\$1.00** WOMEN'S VEILS—Fish Net and Novelty Lace Drape Veils. You never saw their equal, at each, **\$1.50**

White And Colored Wash Goods Cheap!



SILK MIXED DRESS NOVELTIES—Flowered effects, suitable for Kimonos, Dresses and Negligees; also silk mixed Poplin and striped novelty material, sold regularly at 50c a yard. Special for a few days, at **29c**

WHITE WASH FABRICS—36 and 40 inches wider Sheer Voiles, Organdies, and French Crepes; stripes, embroidered figures, and novelty weaves. Extra special values, at **25c** the yard.

SPECIAL LINE OF SHEER COLORED SUMMER WASH MATERIALS—Comprising 40 inch Tissue Gingham, 36 inch Embroidered Voiles, Beauty Printed Voiles, and Woven Striped Weaves. Surprisingly beautiful and reasonable, at the yard, **35c**

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(Limit, 1 bolt of 30 yards to a customer).

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June 14th—
"Preparedness
and Flag Day"

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**For Your
Choice of
Lovely
Crepe de
Chine &
Wash
Satin
Camisoles
Worth
\$1.50 to
\$3.50**

Sale Begins At 9 A. M. Friday Get Here Early--

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WOMEN'S \$3.50 TO \$6.00 FOOTWEAR, \$1.85—For this lot we have searched throughout entire stock, taken out all broken lines which we will discontinue, and marked them down at a price that will move them in a hurry. This lot is composed of all styles and leathers in Pumps and Oxfords that are worth \$3.50 to \$6.00 a pair. Colonial Pumps, Strap Pumps, Plain Pumps, Lace and Button Oxfords. Removal Sale, all marked down to **\$1.85** a pair.

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